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	Claims	Extra	Rate	Fees
Basic Fee				\$710.00
Total Claims	24	-20=	4	\$18.00
Independent Claims	3	-3=	0	\$80.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	X	1	\$270.00	\$270.00
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